

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.111

Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

In response to the Official Action of August 22, 2007, in which a three-month shortened statutory period for response has been extended one month by payment of extension of time fees to expire on December 26, 2007 (December 22 being a Saturday, and December 24 and 25 being federal holidays), Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and withdrawal of the outstanding rejection set forth in the above-mentioned Official Action, in view of the herein contained amendments and remarks.

Amendments to the Claims begin on page 2 of this Response.

Remarks begin on page 8 of this Response.